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**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Satoru WAKUTA et al.

Group Art Unit: 3611

Application No.: 10/629,743

Examiner: Unknown

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Docket No.: 116282

For: HYBRID DRIVE SYSTEM AND VEHICLE EQUIPPED THEREWITH

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.115 AND RESPONSE TO**  
**ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the March 28, 2005 Election of Species Requirement, please consider the following:

**Amendments to the Drawings** include attached replacement sheets; and

**Remarks.**